

# The Paducah Sun.

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## QUEEN CITY BLAZE

Cincinnati Visited by a Destructive Fire Today.

The Damage Will Amount to Three Million Dollars—Handsone Pike Building Destroyed.

OTHERS THAT WERE LOST

Cincinnati, Feb. 26.—This city was today visited by the most destructive fire in its history, the loss being estimated at over \$3,000,000. The Pike building was totally destroyed, including the offices of the United States express, Adams' express, White's restaurant, owned by Maynard and Kern, George Joffe's grocery, John B. Martin's restaurant, Empson's confectionery, Henry Strauss cigar store and offices of Pike theatre company on first floor, Pike theatre auditorium and green rooms and other offices on second floor and all offices on third, fourth and fifth floors. The Season-Good building, adjoining the Pike building on the west at the corner of Vine and Fourth, was badly damaged.

The building adjoining the Pike building on east, owned by the L. B. Harrison estate and occupied by the Robert Clark company, publishers, and Duhme Brothers, jewelers, on the first floor, and others in the upper stories, was totally destroyed.

The Pomedick building, east of the Robert Clarke company and Duhme Bros. and occupied by the Norfolk and Western railroad, and others was badly damaged.

The blaze started early this morning in the cellar of the Pike building and spread rapidly. The same building has frequently burned before.

## PIPE BURST

Accident at Illinois Central Shops Yesterday.

Woodworking Department Closed Down Temporarily Today.

The woodworking department of the local Illinois Central shops was shut down this morning and a part of yesterday afternoon on account of an accident to a steam pipe which connects the new engine to the boiler.

The engine was connected up several days ago and yesterday given a trial. The big steam pipe burst and tore down a portion of the rick wall which separates the boiler room from the engine. The steamfitters are at work today repairing the break and will have the shops running again by night. The machine department is running on one boiler, but this is not sufficient to operate the woodworking department, too.

Mr. Lloyd Grimes, traveling engineer of the Louisville division of the I.C. has gone to Louisville on business.

Miss Lula Seamon, of Princeton, is visiting Miss Bertha Kettler.

## THE MARKETS.

FURNISHED BY ARRENS & GILBERT OF THE PADUCAH COMMISSION CO.

OPEN HIGH CLOSE

WHEAT—			
January	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
May	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
July	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
CORN—			
January	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
May	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
July	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
OATS—			
January	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
May	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
July	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
POKE—			
January	17 7/8	17 7/8	17 7/8
May	17 7/8	17 7/8	17 7/8
July	17 7/8	17 7/8	17 7/8
LARD—			
January	9 5/8	9 5/8	9 5/8
May	9 5/8	9 5/8	9 5/8
July	9 5/8	9 5/8	9 5/8
RIBS—			
January	9 7/8	9 7/8	9 7/8
May	9 7/8	9 7/8	9 7/8
July	9 7/8	9 7/8	9 7/8
STOCKS			
L. & N.	124 1/2	125 1/2	124 1/2
E. C.	144	144	143
U. S. S. P.	84	84	84
U. S. S. C.	39 1/2	39 1/2	38 1/2
Mo. P.	112 1/2	112 1/2	111 1/2

## SUICIDE FOR HORSE

Fatal Runaway Today of One of Biederman's Animals.

Driver Frank Wilkerson Made a Heroic Effort to Stop the Animal and Was Hurt.

GREAT EXCITEMENT CAUSED

A horse belonging to the Jake Biederman Grocery company, grocery corner Sixth and Jackson streets, ran away at noon today and killed itself and badly injured Driver Frank Wilkerson, who had tried to stop the animal in its mad run. The horse had been standing in front of the grocery while Wilkerson was preparing baskets to deliver. Some small boys were playing near and did something to frighten the animal, which started off from the grocery running north on Sixth street.

Wilkerson ran out, jumped into the rear of the wagon and attempted to stop the horse with the lines, but finding that he could not jump on the horse back and was as quickly thrown off. He alighted on his back and is seriously injured, it is thought.

The horse ran as far as Sixth and Clark streets, where it collided with a telephone post and broke its neck. The animal knocked itself down by striking the post, but the blow on the curbing is what is supposed to have broken the vertebrae. The wagon was damaged.

Wilkerson was taken home and physicians summoned to dress the injury. The runaway caused great excitement for a short time.

## JANITORS TO BLAME

They Will be Given Needed Instruction.

So Says Chairman Weille, of the District School Committee.

Mr. Ben Weille, of the heating committee of the board of education, stated this morning that he thought the defects in the heating of the Jefferson and High school buildings are due to the fact that the janitors were not properly instructed as to the firing of the boilers, and that he would call a meeting of the janitors with teachers and superintendent to give the necessary instructions. "I am positive," Mr. Weille stated, that the "deficiency" lays here as the heating systems are excellent and can not be in the least defective. Whenever the proper methods in firing the boilers are employed, the buildings will be heated.

It is understood that the janitors keep no more than ten pounds of steam in the boilers and it requires much more than this to keep the rooms all well heated.

## DUE TONIGHT.

PROMOTER HAZZARD HAS NOT YET COME.

Secretary Hazzard, who is coming here in the interest of Captain Ed Howard to arrange for the transfer of the local marine ways to the Howard combine, has not arrived yet. He has been gone from Cleveland, O., two days, and was expected here last night. The cause of the delay is not known but it is supposed that he had stopped over at Louisville and will arrive here tonight at 7:05 o'clock.

## MARRIED TODAY.

LYON COUNTY COUPLE WED AT METROPOLIS.

Mr. Robert B. Gray and Miss Annie M. Grace, of Gnome, Lyon county, passed through the city this morning en route to Metropolis, Ill. They were married there by Justice Thomas Liggett and will arrive this afternoon on their way back home.

## HOW THEY STAND TODAY

Again No Change in the Standing of the Contestants.

ONLY NINE DAYS MORE AND THE CONTESTS END.

There is no change in the standing of the contestants in the two contests today.

Mr. Pearson and Miss Norvell still lead in their respective races. There remain but nine days now until the close of the contests, and the remaining days will no doubt call for a lot of hustling on the part of the friends of the contestants.

Send in your coupons every day, as they are dated and have an expiration limit.

The vote is as follows:  
Ed Pearson 13831.  
Charles Holliday 10879.  
Charles Bundy 10704.  
B. H. Pixler 3394.  
T. W. Baird 1323.  
Henry Weimer 858.  
J. J. Freundlich 704.  
W. T. Kirkpatrick 573.

Pete Smith 94.  
Young Taylor 92.  
George Hannan 79.

LADIES' CONTEST.  
Miss Lillie Norvell 16266.  
Mrs. Dr. Duicy 11088.

THE PRIZES.  
First prize—\$100 in gold.  
Second prize—\$50 in gold.  
Third prize—\$20.  
Fourth prize—\$7.50.  
Fifth prize—\$3.50.  
Next four—\$1 each.

In the most popular lady contest the prizes are:

First prize—Transportation to Colorado and return at any time during this year.  
Second prize—Transportation to either Chicago or New Orleans and return at any time in this year.

I VOTE FOR

OF

As Most Popular

Officer in Paducah

Signed:

Monday, February 23

I VOTE FOR

As the most popular lady in Paducah

Signed:

Monday, February 23

## INSURANCE ADJUSTERS

SEVERAL IN THE CITY ON BUSINESS AT PRESENT.

There are many insurance men in Paducah on business at present, most of them being to adjust the Gregory loss.

Among them are Messrs. G. A. Curry of Harrodsburg, Beverly Hart of Memphis, Al G. Bolling of Louisville and U. A. Rogers of Louisville.

## PHILIPPINE EXPOSITION.

Manila, Feb. 26.—Governor Taft has formally opened the Philippine exposition, the exhibits in which will be sent to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis next year.

## BUCKSKIN BILL.

NAME OF THE WILD WEST SHOW HAS BEEN CHANGED.

It is seen from the dramatic papers that the Buckskin Bill Wild West, which was organized in Paducah three years ago, will this year travel under a new name. It is to be called "The Great Cole Younger and Frank James Historical Wild West." New people have been advertised for and it will doubtless be larger than ever this season.

It is said that \$1,000 a week is to be paid to Frank James, who has been on the stage for the past several years and \$2,000 a week to Younger. Both will make good drawing cards.

## MR. LUCAS WINS OUT

Important Ruling in Circuit Court This Morning.

Held That He Does Not Have to Pay Costs When He Loses a Case in Court.

FIRST RULING ON QUESTION

An important ruling was made today in circuit court by Judge Husbands in a question never before passed on by the court here. It was whether or not Auditor's Agent Lucas was liable for costs in cases in which suit has been brought for the collection of back taxes or other money claimed to be due the state.

The case in which Attorney Wheeler Campbell made the motion was that of the Ayer and Lord Tie Co. Attorney Campbell claimed that Agent Lucas was a party to the suit and a possible beneficiary of it, and should be personally liable for the costs in the case, which he lost.

Judge Husbands decided that Agent Lucas was not liable; that such cases were merely actions by the commonwealth through an attorney, and when the commonwealth lost it was similar to losing a misdemeanor case, no costs were paid by the commonwealth.

The case holds good in all revenue cases. The revenue agent brings many suits for back taxes, licenses and other things, and loses many of them. If compelled to pay the costs when he loses a case he would soon be bankrupt. The ruling of the court means that the defense will have to pay its costs in revenue suits when it wins the same as when it loses. The Ayer and Lord Tie Co. was sued by Auditor's Agent Lucas some time ago to have its boats taxed in this state, but it was shown that they were listed for assessment in Illinois, and taxes paid on them there, and the agent therefore lost the case.

The costs to the company for fighting the suit were quite heavy, and the company, as it was on the case, attempted to force the auditor's agent, who brought the suit, to pay the costs, but, as detailed above, the court overruled the motion.

Agent Lucas states that so far as he knows it is the first time a court anywhere in the state has passed on the question.

## BETTER TODAY

Postmaster Garton's Wounds Not Necessarily Serious.

Milstead's Trial Was Deferred One Week by Judge Sanders.

Mr. William Garton, the postmaster at Folsomdale, who was shot Tuesday night by Owen Milstead, who supposed him to be a prowler, is better today, his many friends will be pleased to learn.

He had been at the Sellars & Padgett grocery, corner of Twelfth and Trimble streets, since the shooting up until yesterday afternoon, when he was removed to the B. S. Pryor boarding house on North Fourth street. This morning Mr. Garton was feeling much better and his doctors think that the wound will heal without much trouble.

Mr. Garton has been coming to Paducah to trade for years and is well known and popular with all his friends and acquaintances, who regret exceedingly the occurrence.

Milstead's case for malicious shooting was called today in police court and set forward a week.

## MR. J. E. ROBERTSON BETTER

The condition of Mr. James E. Robertson is believed to be slightly better today. Yesterday he became worse and last night was expected to die any minute, but rallied today and at last accounts was resting easy.

## A RAY OF SUNSHINE

Some of the Gloom Dispelled in the Perkins Case.

Two Warrants Dismissed and an Appeal Taken in the \$100 Fine Case.

WAS SENSATIONAL YESTERDAY

## TODAY'S FEATURES.

Today's session of the police court was tame and insipid as compared with the sessions yesterday morning and afternoon. There was another large crowd on hand to hear the "Dr." A. Perkins case, and the impression left on everybody was that the lamb and the lion are willing to lie down together, figuratively speaking. In other words, the people in the "doctor's" company seem to have stirred up such a mess that they are all willing to let up on the other in order to get out of it all.

When the case against Wm. Stanley, the "manager" for Perkins, for insulting Miss Ethel Hubbard, was called this morning Attorney Jesse Moss asked that it be passed for a few moments.

A motion for a new hearing in the case against Perkins, who was yesterday fined \$100 and costs for a breach of the peace, was then taken up and after a brief conference of attorneys, overruled by Judge Sanders, and an appeal asked and granted.

Attorney Thomas E. Moss gave the court his word that an appeal bond would be promptly executed at the court house, and upon this assurance the doctor was ordered released.

Attorney Jesse Moss then arose and stated that last night Wm. Stanley, the young man who had made offensive remarks at yesterday's session of court, as detailed below, sent for him, Attorney Moss, and said that he wanted to offer his sincere apology for what he said; that he did not mean it as it seemed to be taken, and was very sorry it had been so construed. He asked the attorney to apologize publicly for him, to the court as well as the public, and asked that the court extend as much leniency as possible.

Judge Sanders stated that he did not know except from hearsay what the young man had said, but that an apology was always commendable and in order. He therefore thought that the young man was entitled to clemency and leniency, especially when he said his statement was misconstrued.

The warrant against Stanley was then taken up and there was some doubt about the advisability of prosecuting it, as it was issued on his own statement. Attorney Gilbert said he wanted to look into it further, however, and it was continued over until tomorrow and the defendant released on his own recognizance. The authorities here today received a telegram from Memphis stating that Stanley comes from a good family and is all right.

## YESTERDAY AFTER-NOON'S COURT.

Judge W. A. Berry tried the case against Perkins yesterday afternoon, as stated in yesterday's paper. He was charged with having taken undue liberties with Miss Ethel Hubbard, the Jackson, Tenn., young lady, and Miss Gertrude Lynch of Memphis. It was asked by the defendant's attorneys that separate warrants be issued against Perkins on the complaints made by the young ladies, and so ordered.

The first case heard was that of Miss Lynch, the girl who claims to be only 14 years old. About all developed was that on pretext of "rehearsing" her Perkins had taken liberties with her, but only such as he had taken with her three times before she left Memphis with him and came to Paducah. The warrant against Perkins for this was promptly dismissed.

The warrant sworn out by Miss Hubbard was next heard, and during the taking of the testimony there were sensational incidents that came near resulting in a fight. Wm. Stanley,

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It Now Seems That There Will be No Further Hitch in the Canal Proceedings.

## CABINET MEETING DISCUSSION

Washington, Feb. 26—There was serious consideration at the cabinet meeting of the Panama canal treaty and of the proposition to purchase the holdings of the French canal company. Just prior to the cabinet meeting Mr. Knox, the attorney general, held a conference with Mr. William Nelson Cromwell, the representative of the canal company in the United States. Mr. Knox told the president and the cabinet the result of his interview with Mr. Cromwell, but refused to take the press into his confidence.

It is known positively that Mr. Cromwell has been authorized to act in behalf of the French company, and that any agreement which he may make will be binding upon it. There is also ground for believing that Mr. Cromwell has intimated rather strongly that he wants an absolute cash payment of either the \$40,000,000, which is the price agreed upon for the French company's holdings, or else he wants a very generous proportion of that amount. It is understood that he has intimated that unless such payment is made the French company will be open to any offers which may come from private capitalists in either the United States or foreign countries. This attitude on the part of the French company creates an embarrassing situation for the administration. As long as the Panama treaty is held up in the senate without ratification the remote possibility remains of the Panama route being rejected finally and the Nicaragua route substituted for it. While no one here believes that this will be the outcome of the canal fight now being waged in the senate, the administration is loth to tie its hands. The attorney general very much hoped that his formal acceptance of the French company's option would bind the bargain. Developments of today did not tend to indicate that this had been effected. The administration is prepared to make it known to the world that the United States will not tolerate the building of the canal by any foreign country. After the cabinet meeting Republican senators were made acquainted with the exact situation, and were urged to secure the ratification of the treaty at as early a date as possible.

## WAS DEMENTED

## MISTAKE MADE BY AN UNKNOWN YOUNG MAN.

Washington, Feb. 26—While the roll of the house was being called upon the Philippine coinage bill, a young man, a total stranger, was discovered sitting near the speaker's desk, apparently deeply interested in the proceedings. Mr. Hinds, the speaker's clerk, asked the stranger what he was doing there. "I am looking for my father," replied the uninvited guest.

"Who is your father?" asked Hinds.

"My father is God," replied the visitor; "and I want you to understand that he is running this place for a little while."

Mr. Hinds at once saw that the stranger was demented and told him that his father was not in the house, but was out in one of the corridors. He led the stranger out of the chamber and turned him over to one of the guards. Inquiry demonstrated that the stranger was slightly demented. His identity was not established. How he secured entrance to the house, passing the guards, doorkeepers and pages, no one knew nor could discover.

## FAKE EXPLODED.

## NO W. C. T. U. SIDEBORD IN A WASHINGTON SALOON.

Washington, Feb. 26—A thorough investigation, made by the superintendent of the White House, disproves the story that a sideboard presented to Mrs. Hayes by the W. C. T. U. fell into the hands of a saloonkeeper at the recent auction sales of old White House furniture. The story caused general indignation among the members of the W. C. T. U. in the United States.

## TRAVELERS BECOME COOSTIVE!



The change in diet and drinking water, the motion of the cars, the irregular habits of travelers, no matter whether they travel on business all the time or for pleasure occasionally, usually result in a constipated condition of the bowels or some stomach or bowel trouble. Travelers should always have a bottle of

## Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

with them. It is a pleasant liquid laxative and a certain cure for sick headache, train sickness and all stomach trouble. Your druggist sells it in 50 Cent and One Dollar bottles.

W. P. Gaines, of Little Rock, Ark., Traveling Salesman for the Smith-Premier Typewriter Co., writes: "While traveling through western Arkansas, in February last, I had a severe attack of Acute Indigestion. There was no doctor at hand, and I was suffering terribly. Your agent handed me a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin (which at that time was unknown to me). I took two doses and was relieved at once, and I want to say now that when I am on the road I am never without a bottle of Syrup Pepsin in my grip. I consider it as essential as my order book, and can find nothing equal to it for Stomach Trouble and Constipation."

Your Money Back  
If It Don't Benefit You  
Write for "The Story of a Traveling Man."  
PEPSIN SYRUP CO., Monticello, Ill.

## AMERICAN DANCER.

## ISADORA DUNCAN, THE CALIFORNIA GIRL, WILL HAVE HER OWN THEATER.

Berlin, Feb. 26—Isadora Duncan, the California dancer, has been supplied with \$250,000 by subscriptions by her admirers, with which to build a theater to be called by her name. Externally it will be in the style of a Greek temple, and the interior will be Greek. The theater will be devoted occasionally to Miss Duncan's dancing and at other times to the reproduction of Greek plays and to concerts. The dancing of Miss Duncan has so attracted the Berlin public that the prices charged for admission to her performances are as high as those of Coquelin and Mme. Bernhardt.

Countess Von Buelow, wife of the imperial chancellor, and Countess Von Thiele-Winckler, wife of one of the leading financiers of Germany, are among Miss Duncan's patronesses.

## GAVE \$10,000

## MRS. WHITESIDE LEFT THIS TO CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

The will of the late Mrs. H. L. Whiteside, who died in Chattanooga, a few days ago, was offered for probate yesterday. The bulk of an estate worth a million was left to her children and grandchildren. Mrs. Whitesides, among other bequests, gives \$10,000 to the First church of Christ (Christian Science), Chattanooga, of which she was a member.

Mrs. Whitesides, it will be remembered, was the lady who backed Linn White, the man who started Paducah's sewerage system, and the lady who still has a suit on the circuit court docket here.

## MONT PELEE SURVIVOR.

New York, Feb. 26—The man supposed to be the sole survivor of the St. Pierre disaster was a passenger by the steamer Fontabelle, which arrived from the West Indies. He is Joseph Sibarace, a negro, aged 27, a native of Martinique. He was a prisoner in the dungeon of St. Pierre when the ill-fated city was destroyed by the eruption of Mont Pelee. He was taken to Ellis Island.

## CIRCUS FIRE.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 26—Fire partly destroyed the new brick car barn at the winter quarters of the Barnum and Bailey circuses and burned a number of cars belonging to the circuses. The loss is \$100,000; insurance \$33,000. While the fire was at its height a cornice fell carrying to the ground with it twelve firemen who were at work on the roof. The men were slightly bruised.

## IRON RISING IN GERMANY.

Berlin, Feb. 26—The prices of iron are rising, as a result of the American demand. An order for 25,000 tons has just been placed with the Rhine-Westphalian syndicate, for shipment to the United States at 50 cents per ton higher than the syndicate demanded at the beginning of the month. The order could not be filled for April and had to be postponed until June.

## NEW POSTAL CARDS

First Installment of Them Expected in Paducah.

Radical Changes Are Made in Them—Some Innovations Introduced.

## POSTMARK ON THE FRONT

Samples of the new postal cards just out are expected at any time at the local postoffice, when Paducahans will have their first opportunity of seeing what radical changes have been made in the make-up of the new as compared with the old cards.

On the new card the vignette of Gen. Grant, which appeared on both the forwarmed and return card, has been succeeded by those of Generals Sherman and Sheridan. These, together with the date of the birth and death of each, constitute the design.

On the face of the forwarded card is the head of Gen. Sherman, with the years 1820-1891, and on the return card is the face of Gen. Sheridan, with the dates 1831-1888.

A change has also been made in the printing and remaining part of the design. The caution to the sender, "This side for address only," together with "The United States of America, reply postal," instead of covering the space between the stamp and the edge of the card, is confined to a corner in small type, admitting of the two postmarks which are the necessary seals of the postoffice department.

This innovation was the result of the efforts of the business element of the country, to whom the question of postmarks is of considerable importance in the filing of way of their correspondence. A great convenience will be afforded the business man from the fact that instead of one postmark on the front of the card, often obscured by the printing, and another on the back, usually blotted out by the writing, both of the postoffice marks will appear on the front of the card in an open space reserved for this postal seal. The hour in which the card was mailed and the time of its receipt at its destination will appear plainly on the front of the new cards when the issue is circulated.

## LITTLE CHANCE

## OF HAVING WASHINGTON'S STATUE IN BERLIN.

Cologne, Feb. 26—Koenisch Volks Zeitung, a semi-official paper, in an editorial today writes:

"German-American of Louisville, Ky., intend to donate a statue of George Washington to the Vaterland, but we doubt very much whether a statue of this kind would be acceptable, and it could under no circumstances be erected in the city of Berlin. It would be against our national dignity to place a statue of George Washington, the founder of a republic, in any public square or park, but it might possibly find a suitable place in the garden or courtyard of the military academy. We are quite sure that the emperor will concur in this opinion."

## G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT

## THIS YEAR IT WILL BEGIN AUGUST 17.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 26—General Thomas J. Stewart, commander in chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, members of the national council of administration, who are accompanying him on his tour, and the local committee in charge of preparations for the coming national encampment have decided to hold the encampment during the week of August 17.

Tickets will be put on sale by the railroads August 1, and they will be good for stop overs both coming and going. The time limit will probably be 60 days. The executive committee will be empowered to invite President Roosevelt to attend the encampment.

## A VIOLENT ERUPTION.

Mexico City, Feb. 26—Tuesday afternoon the most violent eruption of Colima volcano which has occurred in years took place.

At 2:26 p. m. there was a severe earthquake shock at Tuxpam and a heavy pall of smoke hangs over the entire vicinity.

Miss Ora Le Roy has returned to her home in Newbern after a visit to her uncle, Mr. Richard Watkins.

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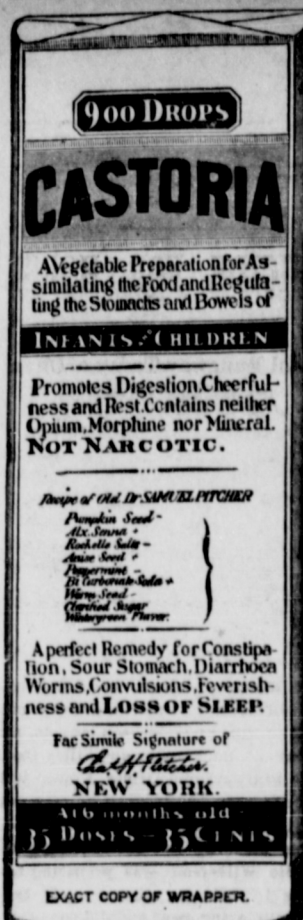
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## LINDSEY, THE PIEMAN

General Grief Follows His Resignation at the Capital.

Said to Have Made the Best Pies Ever Cooked.

Washington, Feb. 26—Richard H. Lindsay has deserted the pie oven in the sub-basement of the Capitol and taken service with an Ocean City hotel, and in consequence there is great regret among the statesmen who were in the habit of eating a piece of Lindsay's pie for their luncheon. No less an authority on pie than Senator George F. Hoar has said that Lindsay's pies were the best he had ever tasted, and this recommendation carries a great deal with it when it is known that Senator Hoar comes from that part of New England where pie is placed on the breakfast table every day.

Lindsay's specialty was apple pie. His crust was so light and flaky that it would almost float, while the filling was floated in a wealth of thick syrup which stewed out of the apertures in the crust and candied. It was because of the excellence of the pie that it became the staple article at luncheon in the Senate restaurant. Now all is changed. Few orders for pie are called out by the waiters and the senators have fastened their affections on rice puddings and baked apples.

Mr. William Shelley, of the tin department of the Illinois Central has returned from Louisville, where he was a few days ago married.

## ARE YOU SATISFIED?

IF NOT WHAT BETTER PROOF CAN PADUCAH RESIDENTS ASK FOR.

This is the statement of a citizen. The testimony of a neighbor. You can readily investigate it. The proof should convince you.

Mr. J. R. Womble of 1005 South Fourth street says: "An attack of typhoid fever 20 years ago left me with weakened kidneys and I have had some pretty severe attacks of backache, some of them so bad that I have had to crawl around the house on my hands and knees. There was no rest neither day nor night despite the use of a vast quantity of medicine and more than one prescription. With very little expectation that I would get relief I tried Doan's Kidney Pills, procuring them at DuBois, Kolb & Co's drugstore. One day's treatment convinced me that they were going to the spot, and when I stopped their use the last attack disappeared."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name Doan's, and take no substitute.

## LITERARY MEETING

Regular Meeting of Paducah Teachers Saturday.

An Excellent Program Has Been Arranged for the Occasion.

The regular monthly meeting of the local public school teachers' literary society will be held Saturday at the High school and the following is the excellent program arranged.

General instructions—Superintendent.  
II.  
Literature of the "Age of Romanticism"—1780-1837—15 min. paper—Miss Minnie Parker.  
Review of "Guy Mannering"—Scott—15 min. paper—Miss Flora Davidson.

Quotations from Burns, Scott and Coleridge—General.  
Keats—Life and Writings—10 min. paper—Mrs. Fannie Taylor.  
"Cotter's Saturday Night"—Burns—General discussion. Lead by Miss Bessie Sinclair.

III.  
CURRENT EVENTS—10 Min. Papers  
Commercial—Miss Bertha Kettler.  
Literary—Miss Lillie Burdine.  
Religious—Miss Elizabeth Chapeze.  
Music and Art—Miss Beulah Young.  
Science and Inventions—Miss Lora Brandon.

IV.  
HOME READINGS—10 Min. Paper.  
Coleridge's "Ancient Mariner," Burns' "Tam O'Shanter," Scott's "Marmion," Byron's "Prisoner of Chillon," and "Vision of Judgment," Keats' "Eve of St. Agnes," Scott's "Guy Mannering," and "Kenilworth."

The teachers have been giving some fine programs and the society has been more satisfactory in work and results this year than any previous year.

## WENT ON A STRIKE.

AND THE BOARD OF EDUCATION SUSPENDED ALL PUPILS.

Ballston, N. Y., Feb. 26—The Ballston High school class of 1903, fourteen girls and boys, were refused admission to the school yesterday. They became insubordinate because there was no observance of Washington's birthday, and, giving the class yell and shouting "Washington," left the school room. The board of education ordered the suspension of the entire class and the refusal to admit them followed pending further action by the board.

## TO HONOR BILLY RICE.

Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 26—George Primrose sent to Manager J. Frank Head of the Grand opera house a check for \$200, to be used in laying a monument over the unmarked grave of Billy Rice, the minstrel, who died here last year.

## EIGHTEEN YEARS Of Intense Sufferings From Stomach Inflammation.

Mr. Clearwater says: "Had it Not Been for Paine's Celery Compound I Would Have Died or Continued to Suffer Terrible Misery."

Stomach difficulties and distresses are varied in character and demand prompt attention. In the majority of cases the troubles originate from a morbid condition of the nerves of the stomach. If you suffer from dyspepsia, indigestion, inflammation of the stomach or gastric derangements, the use of Paine's Celery Compound will banish your tormenting enemies. Paine's Celery Compound quickly tones and strengthens the stomach and its particular nerves, so that your food will enrich the blood and make solid flesh, bone, and muscle. Mr. Horace Clearwater, Kingston, N. Y., says:

"Accept my sincere thanks for the great good I have derived from your life saving medicine Paine's Celery Compound, without which I would have died or continued to suffer terrible misery. While working in the manufacture of tobacco, I ate a small piece of liquorice which caused intense inflammation of the stomach, and for 18 years I endured great sufferings. I had the service of doctors and used a vast variety of medicines, but did not get relief. Often in my agony I rolled over and over on the floor. I heard of Paine's Celery Compound and decided to try it. After I used the third bottle my pains were banished, and for 10 years I have been well and strong. I am now 47 years, old and feel that I owe my present good health to Paine's Celery Compound."

The cloth is good after the color has faded. Dye the cloth a new color with a 10c package of Diamond Dyes and have a new dress for the season.

Direction book and 45 dyed samples free. DIAMOND DYES, Burlington, Vt.

## LILUOKALANI LANDS.

BILL TO GIVE HER \$200,000 INTRODUCED IN THE SENATE.

Washington, Feb. 26—One of the amendments of the sundry civil appropriation bill, as reported to the senate, makes a provision for the appropriation of \$200,000 for the benefit of Queen Liluokalani. The provision is perhaps the most peculiar and unusual one ever incorporated in an appropriation bill. Many attorneys have been interested in putting the crown land claim forward. The senators were determined that none of them should share in the benefits of the appropriation which it is proposed to make. The amendment is so drawn that the mass of verbiage makes it absolutely impossible for anyone but the queen to draw the money from the treasury, or to share in it to the least degree. The queen has been in Washington since the middle of last November. Her persistence and way in which she has put her claim forward has finally won for her this action by the senate.

## IMPORTANT CASES.

COURT OF APPEALS DECIDES TWO FROM THIS DISTRICT

Frankfort, Feb. 26—The court, Judge O'Rear writing, reversed the decision of the Hickman circuit court in the case of the Illinois Central Railroad Co. against W. E. Matthews and ordered a new trial. The lower court gave judgment for Matthews for \$531 for injuries to a trunk and its contents.

Judge Settle delivered an opinion reversing judgment of the Trigg circuit court in the case of the Cadiz Railroad Co. against C. J. Roach, and directed dismissal of the petition. Roach sought cancellation of a contract allowing the railroad company right of way through his farm.

LOW RATES WEST AND NORTHWEST.

Commencing February 15 and continuing daily until April 30, the Illinois Central railroad company will sell one-way second class colonists' tickets from Paducah to Billings, Helena, Missoula, Ogden, Salt Lake, Spokane, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and intermediate points at extremely low rates, with stop-over privileges west of the first colonist point. For further information apply to

J. T. DONOVAN, Agent, Paducah, Ky.

## SOUVENIR BUTTONS

IMPORTANT EXHIBIT MEETING AT LOUISVILLE YESTERDAY.

The joint meeting of the general finance committee of the Kentucky Exhibit association and the committee appointed to solicit funds from miscellaneous corporations was held in the exchange hall of the board of trade at Louisville yesterday afternoon. Mr. George C. Thompson, of Paducah, is a member of the committee. Considerable business was transacted and among the important things done was the adoption of a resolution introduced by Judge Savage, of Ashland. It provided that Mr. W. H. Newman, of Louisville, be appointed a committee of one to enter into negotiations with a button manufacturer for souvenir buttons, containing pictures of the Kentucky building, to be sold at one dollar each. In this way the project will be advertised and revenue gained.

## TRIAL AT SHARPE.

MEN WHO USED A PISTOL TO BE TRIED.

Mr. Mike Oliver, the well known attorney, left this morning for Sharpe, Marshall county, to defend George Dismore for malicious shooting. Dismore and Howard got into a dispute on the Sprague farm several days ago and both used pistols pretty freely. They were arrested and bonded to appear before Justice R. J. Hill at Sharpe today. Only Dismore's trial will be held today.

## CANCER CURED.

Mr. W. W. Prickett, Smithfield, Ill., writes, September 10, 1901: "I had been suffering several years with a cancer on my face, which gave me great annoyance and unbearable itching. I was using Ballard's Snow Liniment for a sore leg, and through an accident, I rubbed some of the liniment on the cancer, and as it gave me almost instant relief, I decided to continue to use the liniment on the cancer. In a short time the cancer came out, my face healed up and there is not the slightest scar left. I have implicit faith in the merits of this preparation, and it cannot be too highly recommended." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

## ROAD BED DAMAGED

HIGH WATER OCCASIONS CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE ON CAIRO EXTENSION.

According to reports which have reached the city from Ballard county, the high water has done great damage to the roadbed of the Cairo extension of the Illinois Central, jacking out of East Cairo in Ballard county. For quite a distance in places the roadbed has been entirely washed from under the rails and ties leaving them exposed and in midair. It is impossible to estimate the damage at present, and there will likely be considerable delay as a result of the work being undone.

## WEAK AND LOW SPIRITED.

A Correspondent Thus Describes His Experience.

"I can strongly recommend Herbine as a medicine of remarkable efficacy for indigestion, loss of appetite, sour taste in the mouth, papitation, headache, drowsiness after meals with distressing mental depressions and low spirits. Herbine must be a unique preparation for cases such as mine, for a few doses entirely removed my complaint. I wonder at people going on suffering or spending their money on worthless things, when Herbine is procurable, and so cheap." 50c a bottle. Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

## SMALL FIRE.

SPARKS ON THE ROOF RESULT IN SLIGHT DAMAGE.

The central fire department was called to the residence of Mr. Mike Galvin at 1402 Broadway this morning at 7:30 o'clock to extinguish a small blaze in the roof. A spark from the flue set the roof afire but the flames were prevented from spreading by the prompt work of the firemen.

## CURED CONSUMPTION.

Mrs. H. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months; the doctors stated he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and it cured him. That was six years ago, and since then we always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds, it has no equal." 25c, 50c and \$1 bottle. Sold by Du Bois, Kolb & Co.

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## A Good Bye Sale of Carpets....

We are going to bid good bye this week to every carried-over pattern of Carpet, Matting, Linoleum and Lace Curtains in our stock. It will be impossible for them to tarry with us with the price we have put on them known to economical buyers, hence we say good bye.

There are lots of people who need carpets and curtains and they are going to be here, so if you want the choice come early.

\$1.15 Moquette and Axminster, good bye price	95c
\$1.10 Velvet and Brussels	90c
.85 Tapestry and Velvet	75c
.75 Tapestry Brussels	65c
.65 Ingrain	57 1/2c
.50 Ingrain	40c
.40 Ingrain	30c
25 Granite Ingrain	20c

## Made, Layed and Lined

35c Best China Matting good bye price	29c
30c Cotton Chain Matting	24c
25c Cotton Chain and Chinas	19c

## Remnants at Half Price

65c Linoleum good bye price	48c
50c " " " "	38c

\$10.00 Lace Curtains, good bye prices	\$8.50
7.50 Lace Curtains, good bye prices	6.00
5.00 Lace curtains, good bye prices	3.75
4.50 Lace Curtains, good bye prices	3.25
3.50 Lace Curtains, good bye prices	2.50
2.50 Lace Curtains, good bye prices	1.75
1.50 Lace Curtains, good bye prices	1.00
.85 Lace Curtains, good bye prices	.75

## Odd Pairs at Half Price

\$2.50 Curtain Stretchers, adjustable pin \$1.75

## A Good Bye Sale of Rugs.

\$1.00 Rugs, good bye sale price	.65
1.50 Rugs, good bye sale price	\$1.00
3.50 Rugs, good bye sale price	2.50
5.00 Rugs, good bye sale price	3.50

## A Good Bye Sale of Shoes....

As our usual custom to clean out odds and ends in heavy weight shoes, to make room for spring purchases, we inaugurate this week a cut price sale that will be interesting.

\$2.50 buys Ralston health box calf	were \$4.00
\$3.00 buys Ralston health enamel calf	were \$4.00
\$3.00 buys box calf Viscelized soles	were \$4.00
\$3.50 buys high cut bootee, regular value	\$5.00
\$4.00 buys the celebrated Cushion Ventilated sole, the heavy weights cheap at	\$5.00
\$2.50 buys velour calf and kid, value	\$3.00

## BOYS AND YOUTHS' DEPARTMENT.

\$1.25 buys boys' heavy satin calf, seamless vamp, sizes broken, were	\$1.50
\$1.50 buys boys' high cut, 3 to 5 1/2; cheap at	\$2.00

## WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT

10 per cent discount on any shoe in this department in the extension or heavy soles that sell at \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50. None of above sent on approval or charged except at regular price

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THURSDAY, FEB. 26, 1903.

## THE WEATHER.

Rain or snow and warmer tonight.  
Friday rain.

## DAILY THOUGHT.

"Life is short, and we have never too much time for gladdening the hearts of those who are traveling the same dark journey with us. Be swift to love, make haste to be kind."

Down in Arkansas they continue to rap Governor Davis.

The war on the Beckham machine does not seem to annoy anyone any less than it does the machine itself.

It is reliably reported that the number of stage struck girls in the world has been reduced by at least three within the past few days.

Spring must be here. We see where the peach crop has been killed, a yarn that is told by the chronic croaker regularly every year when spring begins to spring.

At last accounts the revolutionists in our warring neighbors were getting the best of it. The president of Honduras has just been defeated by some of his insurrectionist constituents.

Down about Knoxville the people have discovered where the county has been paying out hundreds of dollars a year for pauper burials that never took place. The graves upon investigation were found to contain nothing but boxes weighted down with stones. In order to find out the extent of the frauds, and how many graves have been robbed, about 1,000 graves are to be opened. It is thought that Indianapolis will not be in it with her graveyard sensation when Knoxville gets through.

Paducah cannot afford to lag in the matter of assisting in giving Kentucky a suitable representation at the St. Louis exposition. Time flies and almost before we realize it the exposition will be ready to open. There is no time to lose, and this is the reason some of the best men of the state are pushing matters and spending their time going about trying to interest others in the move. When Messrs. Ford and Dallam, of Louisville, come here Saturday night, Paducah should turn out liberally.

The Washington correspondents seem to be able writers of fiction. The latest fake to be exploded is that in which it was claimed that a sideboard given to President Hayes wife by temperance people had been sold to a saloon man and now adorned his bar. An investigation has proven that there is absolutely no truth in the report, particularly as no sideboard was ever given a president's wife by temperance people. Probably more fakes have been sent out from Washington since President Roosevelt took charge of the White house than during any similar length of time, and it is no wonder the president has decided that in his next hunt he will allow but one reporter to accompany him, and this one shall send out only what the general public may be assured is true.

There are a great many cases that seem to demand unusual treatment. A bogus lord who succeeded in roping a highly respected but foolish young woman into marrying him in St. Louis recently was kicked out of the house when his imposition was discovered by his bride's brother. He was arrested for a breach of the peace and given

six months in jail. There was no law to apply for deceiving the girl, but he was given a liberal dose of justice just the same. It has since developed that he is a notorious burglar and swindler, and a sentiment that at first cried out against a six month's sentence for getting 'soundly kicked' has subsided. The ends of justice seek to place such characters who are menaces to society, where they belong, and that's where they got the bogus lord when he landed in jail.

The determination of the Paducah Medical society to test the law governing special elections and ascertain whether or not hospital bonds have to be voted at a special or a called election seems to bear the imprint of a sincere desire to benefit the city. It may be the best thing to do, but it will require a great deal of time. Another thing is the uncertainty of the bond proposition carrying when submitted to the people. Mayor Yeiser is of the opinion that the bonds may be voted at a special election. It seems that if the letter of the law does not so require, the intention was to make it so, for it will be generally agreed that all such propositions should be considered by the people at special elections, in order that their minds will not be distracted by political matters, and in this way a more reliable sentiment be secured. It begins to become apparent that the hospital is going to require a great deal of time, however.

## GREAT HOSTILITY.

4,000 INSURRECTIONISTS UNDER ARMS IN MACEDONIA.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Feb. 26.—Unabated energy, both in words and deeds, marks the hostility of the Macedonian revolutionists toward the program of Turkish reforms defined by Russia and Austria and supported by Europe. Sarafoff and Michaelovsky, the leaders of the rebels, whose arrest was decreed by Russia, have escaped the clutches of the Bulgarian officers. They are now engaged in an active campaign of incitement, traveling from one band of Bulgarian revolutionists to another and perfecting arrangements for the proposed uprising in the spring.

Bands of from sixty to a hundred revolutionists have been gotten together in thirty-four different parts of Macedonia by these chiefs. Nearly 4,000 insurrectionists are under arms and ready for action in the south.

It is likely that the persistence of the armed Macedonians in disorder at the present juncture is synonymous with their annihilation.

## FALLING NOW.

INDICATIONS ARE THAT IT WILL BE RAPID HERE.

The river is now falling in Paducah, and as the reports from above indicate rapid falling everywhere, it is probable that in a few days there will be a very rapid fall in the river here, and that the Ohio will soon again be in its banks.

## NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of John D. Blair, bankrupt.

To the creditors of John D. Blair of Paducah, in the county of McCracken and district, aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1903, the said John D. Blair was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in Paducah, McCracken county, Ky., on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1903, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claim, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may come properly before said meeting. This is in lieu of former notice.

EMMET W. BAGBY,

Referee in Bankruptcy.

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 26, 1903.

## Scarcity of Naval Officers.

Secretary Moody faces considerable difficulty in keeping a necessary number of commissioned officers in the navy. This is because of the continued applications for retirement under the provisions of the navy personnel act. There is no way to prevent these retirements with advanced rank.

## ARE YOU RESTLESS AT NIGHT

And harassed by a bad cough? Use Ballard's Horehound Syrup, it will secure you sound sleep and effect a prompt and radical cure. 25c, 50c and \$1 bottle.

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## BEFORE THE PEOPLE

Doctors Will Test the Hospital Question.

Opinion Rendered the Committee But

It Is Not Positive—Special Election to Be Asked.

## MEDICAL SOCIETY MEETING

The meeting of the McCracken county Medical Society last evening with Dr. J. T. Reddick was well attended and an interesting one. The most important matter discussed was the building of a new city hospital. It will be remembered that the city has for years been greatly in need of a new and modern hospital, and recently the medical profession of Paducah put on foot a project to build a hospital by popular subscription.

The municipal boards then took up the matter and appointed committees to investigate the hospital question, and the doctors appointed a committee subsequently to ascertain in what way bonds would have to be issued by the city for building the hospital. Whether they could be issued without submitting the question to the people, or whether they must be voted on at a special or a regular election.

At last night's meeting the committee read the following opinion:

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 25, 1903.

Dr. J. T. Reddick, Paducah, Ky.

Dear Sir: I have been requested by you to give an opinion as to whether the means could be provided by the city council to build a hospital in the city of Paducah.

I have made a very hurried investigation, and while my opinion is not wholly satisfactory to myself, yet, I have reached the conclusion that the city is not authorized, or permitted to become indebted in any manner, or for any purpose to an amount exceeding, in any year, the income and revenues provided for said year, unless said indebtedness is submitted to the voters of the city, and two-thirds of those voting assent to the same.

My first impression was, and I so informed you, that the city might make a contract for a certain amount to be paid in annual installments, but upon reflection I am of the opinion that the indebtedness would be incurred at the time the contract was made, and that the city could make no contract for the expenditure of money that would exceed the income and revenue provided for during said year.

I am further of the opinion that an election held for the purpose of incurring the indebtedness referred to, under the constitution would have to be a regular election, though, the constitution is silent upon that subject.

Yours very truly, W. M. REED.

Dr. J. G. Brooks, who has taken a leading part in the matter of securing the hospital said this morning in regard to the matter of special election:

"We are not yet satisfied that the special election cannot be legally held at any time other than at a regular election, and will bring in an ordinance which will be placed before the council asking that the matter of voting the bonds be placed before the public immediately. We think as the mayor does, that the election can be held especially for the issuing of the bonds, and will act accordingly. Mayor Yeiser has been working for a hospital for some time and is heartily in favor of all that is done to secure one. We have been advised that the constitution remains silent on the point in doubt and that a decision has been made in favor of both sides, and the matter will certainly have to go up to the court of appeals before it is finished."

Dr. Frank Boyd is of the same opinion. The doctors have ordered the ordinance drawn so that the council can act and the matter be placed before the people. If this be illegal it will be up to the court of appeals. Dr. J. T. Reddick at last night's meeting of the doctors, read a paper on rheumatism and treated the subject thoroughly in all its different phases. Other doctors talked on the subject in the general discussion that followed and some fine points in treatment were brought out.

## "Chicken" Is Plural.

What is the plural of chicken? Why, chickens, of course, you say. A recent book says, however, that there is no such word as chickens. Chicken is itself plural. Chick, chicken; hose, hosen—such is the form. A farmer's wife, at least in the most rural districts, says correctly that she is going to feed her chicken, meaning not one but many.

## So Tired

It may be from overwork, but the chances are its from an inactive LIVER.

With a well conducted LIVER one can do mountains of labor without fatigue.

It adds a hundred per cent to ones earning capacity.

It can be kept in healthful action by, and only by

## Tutt's Pills

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## Theatrical Notes.

If there was one disquieting note in Mary Johnston's "Audrey" it was the unhappy ending of the story, the murder of Audrey by Hugon, the half-breed. When Harriet Ford and E. F. Boddington undertook the work of dramatizing Miss Johnston's novel they pointed out to her that it would be a mistake to end the drama as the book, a tragedy. They pointed out to Miss Johnston that the theatregoing public objected to being sent away from the playhouse with feelings akin to those who view the remains of a friend immured in a morgue. It is for this reason that the play has been given a happy ending, a change which, by the way, has been to the evident satisfaction of theater goers. In the last act Howard finds her at Colonel Bryd's house and tells her his love. In the moment of her happiness comes Hugon, intent on slaying his rival. Audrey discovers Hugon and pretends to dismiss Howard. The half breed attempts the life of Howard and is overpowered, and scorning the white man's justice, kills himself, thus removing the last cloud from the life of Audrey, who can now accept love without fear. Audrey will come to The Kentucky on Monday night. Seats go on sale Saturday for the production.

Theater goers are requested to make a special note of the engagement of Miss Adelaide Thurston in her new play, "At Cozy Corners" on Tuesday, March 3, at The Kentucky. Few who seek diversion at the theater have failed to hear of dainty and pretty little Adelaide Thurston. She has arrived permanently in the affections of theatergoers, judging from the evidences of her popularity chronicled in the theatrical criticisms of the newspapers along the line of her route. She is very popular in Paducah and will have a big house. Seats go on sale next Monday for the production.

## HAS MUCH READY MONEY.

Cash Holdings of Russell Sage Must Be Enormous.

It is a common saying that Russell Sage owns more ready cash than any other man in America. Few people know the reason. Conservative bankers estimate that he has loaned out on collateral at most time cash to the extent of \$25,000,000, while in times when rates are tempting he adds from \$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000 to this interest-drawing principle. His income on this alone amounts to over \$1,250,000 per annum. His income from gifted investments is at least as great. His one luxury is a team of fast horses. He pays \$12,000 ground rent for the real estate on which his Fifth avenue house is built, and his annual expenses outside of that amount to about \$13,000. It will readily be seen that he is not likely to die poor. Few banks have more actual cash outstanding than Russell Sage. His total fortune is put at \$50,000,000.

The reason he holds few stocks of any kind is not hard to find. It lies in the fact that he is one of the very few financiers in Wall street who does not believe in the extension of consolidation of industries. He believes that most of the industrial enterprises of the recent past are founded on unsound business principles. He is one of the few people who have refused to become a member of the Morgan syndicate. He gave as his reason his belief that the pace was too fast and that some one would be hurt.

Mr. Sage says that he sold Missouri Pacific last spring at 118. The reason he sold it was that he thought it was too high. He bought his stock at 8, so he frankly confessed that he didn't see any better thing to do with it at 118 than to sell it. So he sold. That is one of the reasons he is able to lend out huge sums of money. He sells at boom times the stocks he buys in receiverships.

## New Data on Galileo's Trial.

Galileo was imprisoned by the inquisition for maintaining that the earth moved. "How about the 1st of May?" he asked his judges, triumphantly. Chagrined at their open display of ignorance, they immediately released him, and he took his place in the van of science.—New York Sun.

## A RAY OF SUNSHINE

Continued from First page.

the young man who was supposed to be business manager for Perkins, was placed on the stand against Perkins, and finally admitted that he took the same kind of liberties with the young lady that Perkins took. He said in justification that he was only doing it at the instance of Perkins, who had offered to give him a handsome ring if he would debauch the girl. It was then that Stanley, whom the commonwealth yesterday attempted to prove was a coke fiend, made a broad statement that was construed to be a reflection on the virtue of womankind in general.

Attorney Jesse Moss, one of the "doctor's" attorneys, resented it and called the witness a "G—d—d liar," and started after him, but was restrained. There was considerable excitement over the occurrence, and Stanley would probably have been roughly handled had not he gone into Judge Sanders' office and locked the door.

A warrant was then issued against Stanley, charging him with committing a breach of the peace by taking liberties with Miss Hubbard. He could not give bond until this morning and was locked up.

Judge Berry dismissed both warrants against Perkins.

It is understood this afternoon that all the people will leave the city at once, most of them probably tonight. A local minister received a telegram today from the Methodist preacher in Memphis saying that young Stanley is all right and to let him have funds and anything else he wants. Chief of Police Collins received a similar one from the chief of police there and the charge against Stanley will not be pushed.

Major T. E. Moss went on Perkins' appeal bond, and if the defendant returns to Paducah it will be when the case comes up for trial at the April term of court. Doubtless by morning all the "company" will be out of the city. It seems that the young men, as well as the young ladies, feel that they have had sufficient notoriety.

## MINOR CASES.

Charles Hale, white, was released on a disorderly conduct charge on condition that he at once go to work.

Robert Smith, colored, charged with prowl about Mrs. Murray's on Monroe street, was dismissed, as he was not the one.

Mabel Smith, on motion of the prosecuting attorney, was fined \$1 and costs.

Will Martin, Frank Seters, Charles Cosby and Will Ellerbrook, charged with being disorderly on the streets, were fined \$1 and costs each except Seters, who was fined \$3.

## A KEG FULL OF PENNIES.

Fifty Thousand Old Coins Found in Michigan Village.

While tearing down a building in Richland, Mich., which had been occupied for the last forty years by A. D. Barnes as a general store, a keg full of war-time pennies was found in a secluded spot in the basement. The keg contained fully 50,000 coins, their value being about \$500 at the time they were issued, which was when the government was using scrip money, and are the same as were put into circulation principally by lumber and railway companies to use as change. They have no intrinsic value at present except for the copper they contain. Those of date 1863 bear on one side a representation of the Stars and Stripes in relief and on the reverse side: "The American Flag Forever: If Anybody Tears It Down Shoot Him on the Spot." A large number of the pennies issued in 1862 bear on one side a portrait of Washington, with the words, "The Union Forever" beneath. On the reverse side are the words, "The Flag of Our Country." The pennies have been distributed among the kids of the village.—Grand Rapids Herald.

## ST. LOUIS EXCURSION.

On Thursday, March 19, 1903, the Illinois Central Railroad Co. will run a cheap excursion to St. Louis. The fare from Paducah will be \$3 for the round trip, and tickets will be good returning on all trains to and including train No. 205, leaving St. Louis at 7:20 a. m. Monday, March 23. Special train will leave Paducah union depot at 11 a. m. Under no circumstances will the return limit of these tickets be extended.

J. T. DONOVAN, Agent.

## Umbrellas Denote Power.

In Slam a magnate's dignity and power are reckoned according to the number of umbrellas he possesses. One of these magnates is proud to begin his titles with "Lord of Thirty-seven Umbrellas." Among certain African tribes the grandeur of the individual increases with the size and not with the number of umbrellas he possesses.

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## FOR SALE.

All classes of property in every part of the city of which a few samples are here given.

Have money at all times at 6 per cent. for ten years' time to loan on farm mortgages.

900 Bronson avenue, corner Tenth, good 4 room house, price \$975.

Two 5 room houses at northeast corner Tenth and Jackson streets, will sell singly if wanted, price corner, \$950; inside, \$850; both \$1,800.

No. 1246 Broadway, 9 room house, easy payments at \$2,200.

## 6 PER CENT FARM LOANS.

New good 3 room house in Fountain Park for sale on monthly payments.

75 acre farm for sale, good one, 5 room residence, all tillable land, in 300 yards of first depot out on the new Cairo railroad. A bargain at \$35 per acre.

Three sewer connected houses to rent at \$15, \$20 and \$25 per month.

335 feet, Clay between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, three brick houses, sell whole, ground vacant by foot, or the houses as whole or singly. Ask prices as wanted.

Bargain in acre of ground near I. C. passenger depot. Best speculation about city. Ground already surveyed, lots and streets staked.

No. 1248 Broadway, 8 room house, very easy payments, price \$2,200.

No. 900 Bronson avenue, at corner of Tenth street, 4 room house, easy payments, price \$1,000.

Nice 4 room house with modern conveniences, in first class repair, west side Seventh street between Harrison and Clay streets; easy payments, price \$1,650.

Factory site, on railroad, at Madison and Tenth streets, price \$6,000.

Two circle front lots together, in Fountain Park, each 87 feet wide. Will sell separate. Price on corner one \$750 and \$600 on inside one.

Two houses, one six and other five rooms, at northwest corner Sixth and Boyd streets. Will sell together or separate. See me if you want a good trade.

Good eight room house, 60 foot lot, sewerage in both bathroom and kitchen. South side Jefferson streets between Ninth and Tenth streets. Excellent home on easy payments in best residence part of city. Price \$5,000.

Good three room house on South Eighth street near Husbands, for only \$375. Excellent as investment for rent, or home for colored man. A bargain.

No. 1740 Harrison street—in Fountain Park—new four room, nice house, 50 foot lot at \$1,000, or this with adjoining vacant 50 foot lot \$1,200.

Seven room house on north side of Elizabeth street, third towards river from Sixth street, rents at \$13 a month for \$800.

Two houses on one lot at northwest corner of Ninth and Ohio streets, total rents \$20.50 per month. Price \$2050. Easy payments.

No. 520 North Sixth street, rented by year to prompt paying tenant at \$35 per month. Price \$4,000.

No. 1036 Monroe street, excellent five room house, 50 foot lot, very desirable home in first class neighborhood. Price \$1,950.

No. 1341 1/2 South Ninth street, five rooms, hall, shade and fruit trees. Price \$500.

Bargain for colored man in home at \$600; \$100 cash and balance in \$10 monthly payments. Situated south side of Jones street between Eleventh and Twelfth, good 3 room house on 40 foot lot.

Fifty lots in Fountain Park at prices from \$125 to \$1,000, terms \$10 cash and \$5 monthly payments.

No. 911 South Eleventh street, four room house in good condition, one-third cash and balance reasonable payments. Price \$1,000.

Several corner lots on Clay street with joining inside lots to go with corner ones if desired.

No. 410 North Fifth street, good five room house, lot front 57 feet 9 inches with plenty grass and shade. Price \$4,250.

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SEE the new \$10 phonographs at R. D. Clements & Co.

BLANK deeds may be had at The Sun office when you need any.

HAVE you tried Honey Comb Candy, the latest candy craze. For sale only by Jake Biederman Grocery and Baking company.

FIRST ORE ARRIVED—The first shipment of ore for the Seacoast Mining Co. has arrived and the big concern will soon start up.

HAVE you tried Honey Comb Candy, the latest candy craze. For sale only at Jake Biederman Grocery and Baking company.

NO PRESSED BRICK—Work on the fraternity building near Fifth and Broadway has been temporarily stopped by the failure of pressed brick to arrive from St. Louis.

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A TAILORS' UNION—A tailors' union, the first ever organized in Paducah, has been formed and the officers are: W. O. Beavers, president, and W. E. Horn, secretary.

GRAND OPENING of Streator & Robertson's Blue Ribbon saloon, 118 South Third street, Thursday night, Feb. 26. A fine barbeque lunch will be set and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

INTERESTING SHOOT—Tomorrow at the park grounds the championship shoot between Messrs. H. O. Bronaugh and W. A. Davis and Henry Beyer and Mose Starr will take place, and the prospects are for a large crowd to witness it.

LABORER HURT—P. B. Hunter, colored, who was unloading ice at the Illinois Central ice house near the depot for Mr. Pat O'Brien, was yesterday afternoon painfully hurt by having an ice pick accidentally catch him in the nose and badly lacerate it. Drs. Robertson and Hoyer attended him.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED—J. M. Pierce, aged 24, and Sallie B. Summers, aged 22, of Salem, Livingston county, were licensed to wed, and also Mr. J. Arthur Bolton, aged 31, of San Antonio, Tex., and Miss Addie Wallace, aged 22, of the Oaks section of the county.

RETURNS TONIGHT—Mr. Sam Jackson, who is now in Henderson attending a meeting of the baseball league promoters, will return tomorrow. The meeting commenced yesterday and will be continued over until all business pertaining to the league organization is completed, which will not be before tonight.

WAGON WRECKED—The Benner grocery wagon was damaged near Sixth and Trimble streets yesterday afternoon late by the horse running away. The horse had been left standing near Sixth and Campbell streets, when it took fright and started home, colliding with a pole in making a turn.

PAINFULLY SHOT—Mr. John Kelton, master mechanic of the N. C. St. L., has returned from Jackson, Tenn., where yesterday he was shot the chin with a flobert rifle by a boy who was shooting around

#### IMPORTED GREEN SOAP

for shampooing and removing sandruft can be found at

DU BOIS, KOLB & CO.

the yards in Jackson. The wound is not dangerous and it is very fortunate that the ball did not strike Mr. Kelton's eye.

NOTICE—If the party who entered my house yesterday taking some money and a watch will return the watch he may keep the money. I know who he did it, and will prosecute him unless the watch is returned. M. B. E. Greif.

LOST AN ARM—Mr. George Elmore of Decatur, Ala., manager of the Western Union, was struck by a train there yesterday and lost an arm as a result of the accident. The young man formerly lived at Mayfield, and married Miss Minnie Hart of Paducah several years ago. His wife is a daughter of a well known former grocer of Paducah, and has many relatives here.

BUILDING COMMITTEE MET—The building committee of the Masonic and Odd Fellows building met last evening and transacted the necessary business that came before them. A committee composed of Messrs. C. E. Jennings, Charles Weille and James E. Wilhelm was appointed to act with the superintendent in settling minor differences that may arise as the building progresses.

#### NOW IDENTIFIED

MAN DROWNED AT FULTON LIVED IN MAYFIELD.

The man who fell from a trestle at Fulton Monday and was drowned in two feet of water before he could be rescued proves to be J. M. Blair of Mayfield, who was an itinerant shoemaker.

He had been working for a milk man at Mayfield, and when he became involved in trouble over a whiskey selling case skipped for Fulton, where he was killed.

He claimed he was a soldier in Capt. Henry Tyler's company during the Civil war.

#### READY TO START.

SEACOAST COMPANY PREPARING FOR OPERATION.

Mr. B. L. Pettigrew of New York, accompanied by his wife, arrived today and are at the Palmer house. Mr. Pettigrew is secretary of the Seacoast Mining Co., which recently completed a large crushing plant on the South Side. The plant is now ready for operation, and is receiving ore as regularly as possible. It will probably be running today or tomorrow.

Rather a Hard Remedy. "They claim that peritonitis is a cure for appendicitis." "I suppose that's on the same principle that beheading is a sure cure for squinting."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

#### BUILDING BONES.

OF GREAT IMPORTANCE THAT CHILDREN HAVE PROPER FOOD.

A child will grow up weak and small bones or strong and sturdy frame, depending on the kind of food given.

That's why feeding the youngster is of such great importance. The children do not select the food—the responsibility rests with the parent or guardian, or with you if you select the food for a boy or girl.

The scientific selection of this food should begin as early as possible. That's when the delicate little plant needs the tenderest care. A well known lady of Calistoga, Cal., says: "About two years ago my little niece was taken sick. When medical aid was called one physician pronounced the case curvature of the spine; another called it softening of the bones and gave but little hope of her recovery. For weeks she had been failing before her parents thought it anything but trouble from eating her teething."

"She had been fed on mushes and soft foods of different kinds, but at last her stomach could retain scarcely anything. At this time she had become a weak little skeleton of humanity that could not much more than stand alone."

"The doctors changed her food several times until she was put on Grape Nuts which she relished from the first and ate at almost every meal and her recovery has been wonderful. She has been gaining ever since in strength and weight."

"She has eaten dozens of packages of Grape Nuts in the last year and a half and the child is now a rosy-cheeked and healthy little girl, still clinging to her Grape Nuts."

"It is plain the food has saved her life by giving her body the needed material to keep it well and the bone material to build with. Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich."

#### Social Notes and About People.

INTERESTING LECTURE FRIDAY NIGHT

Frank A. Cattern, of Cleveland, Ohio, will deliver his lecture on "Chautauqua, a Great Social Movement" at the Cumberland Presbyterian church tomorrow evening. This lecture is being looked forward to with much interest, not only by those who have studied the great Chautauqua movement, but by the literati of the city also, and those interested in travels and views, for a number of fine kenoscope pictures of important places and countries will illustrate the lecture. Mr. Cattern is said to be a pleasant speaker and will prove most interesting. The lecture is under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and is entirely free of charge.

MARRIAGE AT NEW RICHMOND.

Mr. J. Marion Pierce and Miss Sallie Summers, of Salem, Livingston county, were married last night at the New Richmond hotel at 8:30 o'clock. Rev. G. W. Perryman, of the First Baptist church, officiating. The young people are quite prominent in their county the bride being a daughter of former Representative John Summers.

ODD FELLOWS' SOCIAL.

The Ingleside lodge of Odd Fellows will give a social tomorrow night at their lodge room which promises to be quite a pleasant occasion.

DANCE AT THE PALMER.

A dance will be given tomorrow evening at the Palmer house by the Cotillion club. The list is at Soule's drugstore.

Mr. Wm. Weeks has returned from his trip in the west.

Mr. Elmore Stegar went to Murray this morning on business.

Attorney W. F. Bradshaw, Sr., went to Oake this morning on business.

Mr. P. H. Scott, of the I. C. car department, has gone to Fulton on a visit.

Mr. Dow Wilcox will return today from a trip to New Orleans and the south.

Colonel James P. Sloth has recovered after a several days illness of rheumatism.

Mr. Leon Gleaves has accepted a position in the local I. C. master mechanic's office.

Miss Lucy Ourd, of Mayfield, will arrive in the city this week to visit Miss Birdie Ourd.

Miss Della Farmer arrived from Water Valley, Ky., today to visit her uncle, Mr. J. T. Farmer.

Miss Stottis, of Charleston, Mo., returned home today after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Pete Burnett.

Mr. C. W. Woodruff, the I. C. pattern maker, has returned from Memphis where he had gone on business.

Miss Kate Kenny, of Mayfield, returned home today after visiting Miss Mabel Phelps and friends in the city.

Misses Florence Yeiser and Margery Crumbaugh left this morning for Columbus, Miss., to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Einstein and child and Mrs. L. M. Kingsberger, of St. Louis, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Bloom.

Mr. Harry Judd, the well known patternmaker of the local I. C. shops, has recovered after a short illness. His many friends will be pleased to learn of his recovery.

Mr. Stewart Sinnott has resigned his position with Rudy & Phillips and accepted a position with the Queen City Shoe company, of Cincinnati, and leaves on his first trip next week.

#### LITTLE CHANCE FOR HIM.

Telegraph Operator Did Not Understand Reason for Hurry.

They tell this story of a western telegraph operator:

He was trying to call up a small town, where the office was in charge of a young woman, and for some reason he couldn't raise her. He was about to give up in despair when another operator broke in with the inquiry, "What do you want?"

"I want Miss Brown of Wellsburg," was the reply, "I have been trying to get her for the last half hour."

"That's nothing," returned the interrupting operator, "There's a young fellow clerking in a dry goods store there who's been trying to get her for the last two years, and he has not succeeded yet."

#### The Carping Critic.

One of those callous Parisian critics says of Bernhardt, as Ophelia: "Mme. Sarah did wrong to put so much vermilion on her face. In the drowning scene she seemed quite to color the water. Besides, no woman while wearing such a beautiful flowing dress of India silk, would, under any circumstances, cane or insane, come within a quarter of a mile of a watery grave."

#### FOOD PROTECTION.

THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES DECIDES IN FAVOR OF THE IN-ER-SEAL PACKAGE.

A decision far-reaching in its effect and of interest to all lovers of pure food has just been handed down by Judge Adams in the circuit court of the United States.

The suit in question was brought against the Union Biscuit Co. for infringement on the In-er-seal package, controlled exclusively by the National Biscuit Co., for the protection of biscuit and crackers against dust, moisture, odor and germs.

In deciding against the Union Biscuit Co. Judge Adams says:

"The proof abundantly shows that prior to the invention of the patent the old paper cartons or boxes were inadequate to the demands of the service required of them; that their contents deteriorated rapidly in substance and flavor; that they were subjected to the baneful effects of the air, moisture and dust. Since the introduction of the box of the patent a radical change has taken place. This box has been found equal to the climatic and other local conditions in all parts of the country, from New Orleans to New York, from Florida to Minnesota, and from California to Massachusetts. The uniform testimony from all these regions is to the effect that the contents of the box are preserved in their original freshness and flavor."

"The whole testimony in my opinion clearly shows that the box of the patent materially facilitates the distribution of inexpensive food products to the consumer and at the same time lessens the cost and enhances the intrinsic value of such products."

Judge Adams' full decision against the infringement not only shows the great importance of the In-er-seal package, but is so broad and conclusive as to prevent any further infringement or use in violation of the rights of the National Biscuit Co.

IKK COHEN, at 106 South Second street, Paducah's only pawnbroker, has paid \$700 this day for license as pawnbroker. All citizens including saloonkeepers and banks are warned and cautioned not to lend money on collateral of personal property, as the law says that is doing a pawn business, and they are liable to a fine, and for which they will be prosecuted by law. Respectfully, Ike Cohen, the Pawnbroker, opposite the market house.

#### A GENEROUS OFFER.

In order to employ home labor we will learn 25 girls to make pants and pay \$2.50 per week while learning. Apply at once to


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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Groves' signature is on each box; 25c.

Four Ears on One Stalk. Four ears of wheat have been found growing on one stalk at Banham, Norfolk, England.

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As the bell-hoy enables the mariner to avoid sunken rocks and shoals, so Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey wards off the serious consequences of a cough neglected. It stops the cough and cures the cause. "I was seriously affected with a cough for 25 years. Paid hundreds of dollars to doctors and for medicine, but everything failed until I tried Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. This wonderful remedy saved my life." J. B. ROSEL, Grandburg, Ill.

**DR. BELL'S Pine-Tar-Honey**

Is a guaranteed cure for all throat, lung and chest troubles, including asthma, bronchitis, Le Grippe, whooping cough, croup, all eruptions of the throat, and all cases of sore throat. The E. B. Schuchert Medicine Co., Paducah, Ky.

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Solves the problem. Anything you need or do not need. "Tips" will secure or dispose of for you.

The price for advertisements in this column is 5c a line. Cash must accompany the order for all ads. There will be no variance from this rule for anyone.

WANTED—Experienced seamstress with dressmaker. Apply to 1152 Jefferson street.

PLUMBING—Ring 956-red for A. F. Greif, 319 Court, for plumbing at reasonable prices.

WANTED—A good white girl to attend to children. FRANK LEVIN, Tenth and Burnett.

FOR RENT—The building formerly occupied by Stutz's candy factory. Possession given March 1. F. M. Fisher.

WANTED—To trade a brand new bicycle, only used one day, high grade, for a pony. Address A. D. Sun office.

Opens The Jersey 1501 Thurs- day Palace Third St.

Best of Liquors Choicest Cigars and Tobacco Courteous Treatment Handsome Fittings Pleasant & Resort Orderly

In taking charge of the saloon at 1501 S. 3d St., which I have renamed "The Jersey Palace," I would announce to the public that I have refitted the house throughout, making it very attractive, have stocked it with the best liquors, choicest cigars and tobaccos, and have placed Mr. Marion Clark in control, thus guaranteeing patrons courteous attention and an orderly resort. I solicit the patronage of the public and shall endeavor to show the fullest appreciation of all favors. Respectfully,

Sam Starks.

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### All This Week

DICK FERRIS presents the **Grace Hayward Big Company** In the Repertoire of Successful Plays Up-to-Date Specialties.

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In Her New and Successful Comedy Drama

## At Cozy Corners

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Those who desire any carpenter contract work or desire to enter into contracts with carpenter contractors for the building of houses or other work, are hereby notified that the following named contractors in the city of Paducah are favorable to and employ none but union men on their contracts: J. W. Lockwood, J. M. Byrd and W. T. Kirkpatrick, Gus F. Lockwood, Clyde Cooper, J. W. Hudson, J. M. Rouse, Wm. Karnes, W. R. Roberts, J. W. Coles, J. W. Thompson, G. O. Ingram, J. O. Breckenridge, G. A. Ross, Lonie Green, M. H. Ingram, J. H. Simpson and A. O. Brane.

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## RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

## ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

Corrected to Jan. 7, 1903.

South Bound	121	103
Lv. Cincinnati	6:00pm	8:40am
Lv. Louisville	7:20am	10:20pm
Lv. Owensboro	9:00am	12:00pm
Lv. H. Branch	10:30am	1:30pm
Lv. Central City	12:00pm	4:30pm
Lv. Nortonville	1:30pm	6:00pm
Lv. Evansville	3:00pm	8:30am
Lv. Hopkinsville	4:30pm	10:00am
Lv. Princeton	6:00pm	11:30am
Ar. Paducah	8:30pm	7:30pm
Ar. Paducah	8:50pm	7:10pm

North Bound	122	104
Lv. N. Orleans	7:30pm	9:40am
Lv. Memphis	8:50am	11:00pm
Lv. Jackson	10:10am	12:20pm
Lv. Paducah	11:30am	1:40pm
Lv. Paducah	12:50pm	3:00pm
Lv. Cairo	2:10pm	4:20pm
Lv. Fulton	3:30pm	5:40pm
Ar. Paducah	4:50pm	7:00pm
Ar. Paducah	5:10pm	7:20pm

ST. LOUIS DIVISION.	123	105
South Bound	205	275
Lv. St. Louis	7:30am	10:30pm
Ar. E. St. Louis	8:50am	11:50pm
Ar. Chicago	10:10am	1:10pm
Ar. Carbondale	11:30am	2:30pm
Ar. Paducah	12:50pm	3:50pm
Ar. Paducah	1:10pm	4:10pm

North Bound	206	276
Lv. Paducah	12:15pm	6:15pm
Ar. Paducah	1:35pm	7:35pm
Ar. Carbondale	2:55pm	8:55pm
Ar. Chicago	4:15pm	10:15pm
Ar. E. St. Louis	5:35pm	11:35pm
Ar. St. Louis	6:55pm	12:55pm

For further information, reservations, tickets, etc., call on or address J. T. Donovan, agent, Paducah, Ky., C. C. McCarty, D. P. A., St. Louis, John A. Smith, A. G. P. A., Memphis, A. H. Hanson, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

## NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA &amp; ST. LOUIS RY

In effect April 13, 1902.

## SOUTH BOUND.

In effect April 13, 1902.	7:25am	2:45pm
Lv. Paducah	7:25am	2:45pm
Union Depot	7:30am	2:50pm
Paris	8:00am	3:20pm
Hollow Rock Junction	8:20am	3:40pm
Jackson	8:40am	3:55pm
Ar. Memphis	9:00am	4:15pm
Nashville	9:20am	4:35pm
Chattanooga	9:40am	4:55pm
Atlanta	10:00am	5:15pm

## NORTH BOUND.

Lv. Atlanta	8:30pm	8:30pm
Chattanooga	5:00am	1:15am
Nashville	2:15pm	7:00am
Memphis	12:30am	7:00am
Jackson	3:12pm	7:45am
Hollow Rock Junction	3:30pm	10:20am
Paris	6:15pm	11:05am
Union Depot	8:25pm	11:55pm
Ar. Paducah	8:30pm	12:30pm

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"What's the 'Navar'?" he asked.

"That's the Navarre," replied his friend.

"Well, I don't kear what you call it; it looks good. Let's go there."

And there they went, and there they found material which seemed to generate good humor in Mr. Leffingwell and caused his lank cheeks to corrugate with cheerfulness.

"I've always been pretty fond of 'licker," said the tall Texan, "and I never keered who knewed it. I never found it done me no harm s' long's I didn't try to dreen the entire town—though I did that once or twice—yes, maybe more'n that."

Mr. Leffingwell stayed his speech and leaned affectionately against the bar.

"There was one feller, though," he resumed, as if he were addressing the yellow-glowing, appreciative tankard of "rye" that stood waiting beyond the man in white, "one feller that did me up proper at my own game—well, I won't just say 'game'—but beat me lusher, and at that time I was fool enough to be mortified over it. I reckon, though, it was more the way it come up."

"I was down to Lehi. That's a little place that had just sprung up. I was with a small Bar-Tee-Cross outfit roundin' up. But we put in Sunday there and there was some sort of a young men's prayer meetin' and, we bein' camped so close, we went to it."

"Well, I kind of set there and let 'em talk and pray and go on, but I didn't take much interest. I was pretty dry and I knowed I had a jug of good 'licker up at the camp, and I wanted to git at it. One of the loudest of these here young hell-whoopers come around and begin to talk religion to me. I told him that was all right, but it wasn't my game. I told him that what I hankered for more'n anything else was about three inches of old rye. I thought that would settle him. He said that he didn't see nothing wrong in takin' 'licker in moderation for the stomach's sake, for that was according to scripter. And when I got up to go to camp he said he'd like to go along with me and talk me up a lot more if I didn't mind."

"I told him he could do as he pleased about it and he was welcome to talk as long as he durm pleased. And say—that's what he done. I reckon you never heerd no sich talker in all your born days. He just kep' up a reg'lar streak of talk, only breakin' into it for one thing, and that was to take a drink, for when we got to camp I got out the jug and told him to help hisself, which he done, good and plentiful, sayin' ag'in it was for his stomach's sake and right in line with scripter."

"Well, sir, I don't know how much we drunk that night, me and him, for I couldn't say exactly how much was in the jug at the start. I started to count our drinks, but I lost track and finally fell over backwards and couldn't get up. The last I heerd this here religious friend of mine expoundin' something about the 'way of the transgressor,' or some stuff or 'nother like that, and then—well, I jest nacherly winked out."

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Under the leadership of Gordon, Chambers and Falmouth hundreds of business men visited the tenement houses and saw for the first time the horrors that were intensified by the machine. Hundreds of them were taken by Miss Andrews or Gordon to Tommy Randall's double decker, which had gone steadily up through all the rising of the storm, and the lawlessness of his acts was a visible illustration of the whole situation. Miss Andrews had written to Mrs. Captain George Effingham telling her the situation, and that old lady had replied: "Use the first hundred thousand if necessary in carrying on the campaign and the second also. I will try to find some more if you only succeed in cleaning out Mr. Thomas Randall."

So the settlement workers thanked God and plunged into the thick of the fight as it grew in power, for every saloon interest, every gambling hell, every house of evil fame, fought for its miserable life. For once almost like magic, to the astonishment of evil, all the good of the city appeared to be united, on its knees praying, on its feet working. And as the campaign drew near its climax every dark and hideous viper that had fattened in the security of years of protection from the city crawled out of its hole and showed its ugly and poisonous front, rearing its head against an assault that for the first time in history was really doing something to vindicate the name of the stern righteousness of God in men.

One morning John Gordon, going by Tommy Randall's double decker, found it deserted of workmen. It had gone up three stories and a half.

"When Miss Andrews heard the news, she said: 'That means that Tommy is in need of campaign funds. He has spent a fortune already. If that dumb-bell is never finished!'"

"We will let it stand as a monument of victory," said Gordon.

Two evenings later Gordon, Falmouth, Chambers and Miss Andrews went together to a monster mass meeting. All four of them spoke. Miss Andrews was received with a great demonstration. When Chambers spoke, it was noticeable that hundreds of men and women representing the wealth and fashion of the city were there, and that, although he uttered the most scathing rebuke of the selfish wealthy people who shunned all civic responsibility, they listened with positive admiration to a speech that was a torrent of eloquence, for Chambers was an aristocrat himself and could not be repudiated by any of the city's most cultured or refined circles. Mrs. Penrose was present that night with Luella and Archie. They all heard Miss Andrews, with genuine surprise at her ability. Chambers provoked their applause even while he angered them by his prophetic denunciation of their wicked selfishness. Falmouth's speech was a calm but earnest appeal to the conscience, and every hearer was more honestly thoughtful for it. Then Gordon rose.

He had gained amazingly in the power to address a great crowd. He simply told the story of the tenements out of his own experience. He made no plea; he uttered no denunciation; simply told how childhood was tortured and crushed and stifled and murdered in the double deckers. His story was the story of childhood's rights. It made a tremendous impression. Mrs. Penrose bent her head, and her lips whispered the litany:

"O Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon me."

Luella never took her eyes off John Gordon's face. As he drew near the end she noted the extreme exhaustion of his whole bearing. And as he finished and sat down she observed Miss Andrews, who was seated behind Gordon, lean forward and ask him something.

Then as the chairman of the meeting was making some announcement for another gathering Luella saw Chambers and Falmouth suddenly rise and go over to Gordon just as he swayed and would have fallen. The two friends caught him and quickly carried him off the stage. Miss Andrews followed them, and the great audience began to go out.

Luella hesitated. Mrs. Penrose had not seen anything. She had not been looking.

"I think Mr. Gordon was ill," Luella said.

"Shall we wait and inquire?" Mrs. Penrose asked quickly.

"I'll go up and see about it," Archie suddenly volunteered.

He went up and crossed the stage and disappeared. When he came back after a few minutes, he said that Gordon had been removed to Hope House, and no one seemed to know just what the trouble was.

"Nothing serious, I think," Mrs. Penrose remarked. "We'll telephone down when we get home."

Word was sent back by one of the settlement workers in answer to Mrs. Penrose's inquiry that Gordon was ill, but it was not possible yet to say how seriously. Mrs. Penrose sent word to Luella and added that if Luella wished she would go down to Hope House with her next day and inquire. Luella replied that she did not think it necessary, and Mrs. Penrose did not press

the matter.

But three days later Luella was in the drawing room when a visitor was announced.

"Miss Andrews from Hope House," said the servant.

Luella rose to meet her as she entered. Both women were very grave. Luella trembled as she motioned Grace Andrews to a seat.

### CHAPTER XII.



She put her lips on John Gordon's hand.

"CAME to tell you, Miss Marsh, that Mr. Gordon is very ill. It is doubtful!"

"That dreadful place and work have killed him!" exclaimed Luella. Her face had paled at sight of Miss Andrews. It blanched now, and her exclamation contained a certain tone of reproach as if the woman in front of her were to blame.

"And, if they have, is it not better for him to die there after having fought a good fight for humanity than to live elsewhere and carry no burdens that kill?"

It was a question provoked by the entire social cruelty of that world represented by such women as Luella and Mrs. Penrose. The gentle, patient, sacrificing spirit of the blue-eyed woman who had given her whole life to lift the human burden burst out of its habitual repression of feeling and swept up and over Luella as if she were the incarnation of social selfishness which in all great cities of the world seeks ease and pleasure and luxury and denies all claims of brotherhood, refuses to share its strength with the weak and never dreams of such a thing as personal responsibility for childhood's ways of mankind's suffering.

It seemed a long time that Luella was silent. After a while she raised her eyes to Miss Andrews.

"I am all that you think I am. And yet—"

"And yet, Miss Marsh, John Gordon loves you. He wants to see you before he—"

"Did he send you here?"

"No. But I know he longs to see you. Will you come?"

"Yes," Luella trembled. "But I am sure he does not love me! Oh, Miss Andrews! Have pity on me! If I loved him truly, would I refuse to accept his test for me? Why do I shrink from that?"

"Do you expect me to answer all the contradictions of your heart? You have been born into a social life that reckons up its wealth in physical things. It is also true—pardon me for saying it—but it is true that you women of wealth and social activities are as a class destitute of any real love for humanity. You can feel remorse or momentary pity. You will weep at the representation of wrongs upon the stage in a well lighted, warmed and upholstered theater from a comfortable seat for which you have paid an exorbitant price, but you will not take the price of that seat and go with it yourself to a real human sufferer, or if you do it is in a spasmodic effort to relieve a dull day or a compound with a conscience that will not always leave you alone in your selfishness. The broad basic element of genuine love of humanity is not known by you or women like you. The richest, most cultured, most favored women in this city are as a rule destitute of real human love for the masses. They are born without it, they live without it, and may God have mercy on them, they will die without it and receive the final condemnation spoken to those who, like the rich man in Jesus' story, have their good things in this world, but will be shut out by an impassable chasm from the joys of Lazarus in the bosom of Abraham."

Again the spirit of this woman, who had for all those dreary years of loneliness borne the crushing weight of a proud city's wealth and fashion which lifted no finger to help in proportion to its enormous responsibility, rose up and flowed over its life-long repression in the presence of a woman who had refused the great love of a great man because she did not want to miss the things that Lazarus had to do without.

And again Luella was painfully still. She uttered no denial; she apparently did not resent a syllable. She simply

looked down, folding her hands in her lap, and Miss Andrews, gazing at her, could see no sign of anger or pride.

But suddenly Luella rose, and, stretching out her hands toward her visitor, she said, while tears were in her eyes:

"All this may be true, but you say he is dying. Is it the time to say all this to me now? I love him! I do love him! You do not, or you would not be saying these things to me now—while he is dying!"

She came up close to Miss Andrews and stood near her, with her hands clinched and her whole attitude expressive of the deepest feeling. "It is no wonder John Gordon loved her," Grace Andrews said to herself with a pang at the thought of a beauty that had been dulled by years of contact with trouble, for Luella was magnificent in her strong young womanhood, and it needed only that one human love for the multitude to make her a creature of boundless affections worthy of the bravest, best man that ever lived.

"I did not say he was dying. He is very ill. The issue is doubtful. But he is perfectly conscious, and it may be—it may be—that your presence will help him."

"Come, then, let us go," said Luella.

On the way to Hope House Luella asked again if John Gordon had sent for her.

"He has spoken your name," Miss Andrews hesitated, "but he has not asked to see you."

"Then I am going to see him on your invitation?"

"Yes," she replied simply.

"He will not care to see me," Luella spoke as if to herself, and Miss Andrews did not reply to her.

When they reached the house, Luella was so agitated that she asked to be left alone in the library a little while. When she came to Miss Andrews and told her she was ready, Miss Andrews could not avoid almost a feeling of pity for her.

"Is he very ill?" Luella asked.

"You must be prepared for a great change in him," Miss Andrews said. When she reached Gordon's room, Ford came to the door. He had been nursing Gordon. When Luella entered, Ford and Miss Andrews went out and knew that as they left the room Luella had knelt at the side of the bed and put her lips on John Gordon's hand.

She was not prepared for the sight of such a change in so short a time. But Gordon had thrown himself into the problem of Hope House from the first day of his residence with a whole-souled abandon that had told tremendously on his vitality. The daily strain on his sympathies, the apparent hopelessness of the effort to remove causes, the unceasing call on heart and mind, had burned like a fever in his life, and when the city campaign came on he was not at all prepared for its incessant demand on physical and mental resources. Nevertheless he had fung all caution aside night after night, even when he felt growing on him the weariness that, like a leaden weight, hung on heart and brain. The collapse came inevitably, and his condition was critical. It was the old story of driving the machine beyond its powers and without sufficient care for the delicate mechanism of nerves and heart and tissues.

"John," said Luella as she knelt there, and he felt a tear fall on the hand she held. "you do not doubt my love for you, do you? Why did you not send for me yourself?"

"You are here, Luella. That is all I want."

He spoke with great effort. He was conscious of a weakness that made him cling to any strong nature like a drowning man. His whole interview with Luella must be interpreted in the light of that weakness. His mind was feeling vaguely for relief from a dark, hopeless falling down into some unreachable place where Luella could not come. He had not strength even to return the clasp of her cold fingers, and she was terrified as she saw his helplessness and thought he might pass away even during the brief time she felt she ought to be there with him.

"Promise me, Luella, that you will—be my wife. Let us give ourselves to the cause of childhood suffering—in these—these awful places!"

"Oh, I promise; yes, yes, John! Dear, I will come here and live anywhere—anywhere—if you will not die!"

She clung to his hand, and he smiled.

"Will you live with me here, Luella—here in Hope House?"

"Yes! Yes! For I do love you; I do love you, John!" she cried, sobbing, and he lay so still, so exhausted with his effort, that she rose at once and, going to the door, called for Miss Andrews and Ford to come, thinking he had fallen into the sleep that knows no waking. But when they came they saw a smile on his face and a look of peace there that was more hopeful. Ford said, than anything yet recorded.

Even as they all three stood by him he opened his eyes and whispered:

"Will you kiss me, Luella? I am happy!"

She leaned over and kissed his lips, and there was a look on her face which neither Miss Andrews nor Ford understood until after events made it clear.

She went back into the library and sat there for some time, dreading to have news brought her that he had sunk into death. But Ford came in after a while and said he was asleep, and, while at the furthest degree of mental and heart exhaustion, there was a fighting chance.

So Luella went home and the next few weeks she passed in a suspense of feeling that left with her an experience impossible to describe. Every day she either went to Hope House or heard from there. When she went herself, she did not ask to see him. The delirium of brain fever was on him, and he knew no one, not even Ford. Luella shrank from going into the room. Once she looked in through the open door. Then she passed along back into the library.

and tears ran down her face as she went and sat down near the large window overlooking the scene of the fire.

Miss Andrews came in and found her looking out at the place. Most of the rubbish had been removed, and half a dozen saloons had gone up on as many corners. Tommy Randall's double decker was unfinished, and its incomplete condition added to the general dreary hideousness of the prospect. Luella shuddered at it all.

"Is there any prospect of getting this property for your proposed park?" she asked as Miss Andrews came over by the window.

"We do not know yet. You have heard the news of Randall's conviction in the court of special pleas? Mr. Chambers succeeded in furnishing proof of conspiracy, and it looks very much as if Randall's day was over. The election next week will decide his fate. It looks now as if the present administration would be defeated, and the Reform party elect a full ticket. In that case the boss will have to go. He has already disposed of several lots around the double decker, and it looks very much as if he was getting ready to leave the city if the election goes against him. It all turns on that issue."

Luella looked wearily out of the window. Then she turned to Miss Andrews.

"When did the doctor say the crisis for Mr. Gordon would be reached?"

"In about a week," Miss Andrews answered gently. Her whole face and manner betrayed the nervous strain under which she had been living. Luella, who had come to know her as once was not possible, admired and wondered whenever this remarkable woman was near her.

"Will the fever leave him any?"

"I think not. Of course he will be very weak for a long time, but he will have hope to sustain him and—and your promise." Miss Andrews added, with an effort: "Forgive me, Miss Marsh. I overheard your promise to him. It probably saved his life."

"Do you think it did?" Luella asked faintly. She shuddered again and turned her eyes out of the window and was silent a long time. Miss Andrews possessed the quality of keeping still and did not return to say anything more. After a while Luella said, "Let us pray God that all may be well with him when the crisis comes."

"Yes, please God," Miss Andrews whispered. Then she went out of the library, and shortly after Luella went home.

When she came into the house, she found Mrs. Penrose waiting to see her.

"How is Mr. Gordon?" Mrs. Penrose asked the moment Luella stepped into the drawing room.

Luella told her.

"Then he is not out of danger?"

"No. The crisis will come next week."

"Do you care very much, Luella?" Mrs. Penrose asked somewhat carelessly.

Luella did not answer.

"If he gets well, what then? Will you marry him?"

Still Luella did not answer. Mrs. Penrose eyed her sharply.

"You are unhappy, Luella. Is it because you are afraid he will die or?"

Luella looked up.

"If he lives, will you marry him?" Mrs. Penrose persisted.

"I promised him that I would and that I would live with him in Hope House. But—" Mrs. Penrose was watching her closely. Luella was in need of a confessor, and she went on: "But I cannot live there. I promised because I thought he was dying. I was carried away by my feelings. If I tried to live there with him, I should be wretched and make his life miserable."

"So you have decided to make his life miserable by not living with him. That's good feminine logic. For, getting into real dilemmas commend me to a woman. The graceful thing for him to do would be to die. It would at least save you the awkward business of explaining away your promise to him. I don't envy you your interview with him if he lives. I'd sooner go and live in Hope House all my life."

"Don't!" cried Luella. She walked up and down the room like a man. Mrs. Penrose watched her curiously.

"Of course you never really loved John Gordon. If you had, no question of Hope House would ever have arisen. Seeing you have never yet loved any one, maybe you will allow me to present the name of a suitor."

Luella stopped in her walk and faced Mrs. Penrose angrily. Mrs. Penrose continued in the sweetest manner:

"Archie claims your attention. He has wearied me with his persistent appeals for my pleading in his behalf. And this seems as good a time as any to bring his claims forward. You are not going to marry John Gordon; therefore marry somebody. And it cannot be denied that Archie is somebody, at least in his own estimation. He has money, he is no worse than a good many other young men like him, and he will not ask you to live in Hope House. What more could you ask, Luella? And what more could I say? It is not every day that one has an offer of marriage from such a young man as Archie. The occasion will never come again."

Mrs. Penrose spoke with a smile that could be interpreted as meaning any one of half a dozen things.

"Stop!" cried Luella. "Never mention Archie Penrose's name to me again. If he were the only man in the universe, I would never marry him!"

"And yet," continued Mrs. Penrose slowly, "you throw away, like an old shoe, the true love of a good man simply because you are not willing to give up a few of the fleshpots of civilization. Vanity of vanities, saith the preacher. Yet we prize these vanities beyond the best thing in the world, which no doubt is love."

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## NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

### THE STAGES.

Cairo, 47.9—4.1 rise.  
Chattanooga, 8.0—0.8 fall  
Cincinnati, missing.  
Evansville, 37.9—2.5 fall.  
Florence, 10.0—0.3 fall.  
Johnsonville, 28.7—0.3 fall.  
Louisville, 15.6—3.8 fall.  
Mt. Carmel, 11.3—0.4 fall.  
Nashville, 18.2—1.9 fall.  
Pittsburg, 5.2—stand.  
Davis Island Dam, 7.1—stand.  
St. Louis, 8.9—0.5 rise.  
Paducah, 42.2—0.1/2 rise.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 42.1 feet on the gauge, a rise of 0.1 in last 24 hours. Wind southeast, a light breeze. Weather cloudy and cool. Temperature 36.

Pell, Observer.

The Dick Fowler cleared on time this morning for Cairo.

The Joe Fowler is today's Evansville packet. She arrived late and will leave this afternoon on her return trip.

The Savannah and City of Memphis will leave here Monday or Tuesday for Tennessee river to resume their regular trips. They had been laying up here for the ice.

The Sunshine passed up to Cincinnati this morning at 6 o'clock.

The Rees Lee passed up to Cincinnati yesterday at noon.

The Clyde left last night at 6 o'clock for Tennessee river.

The Tennessee is due out of Tennessee river tomorrow morning.

The Butterff arrived yesterday afternoon from Clarksville and left last night for Clarksville.

The Avalon is due from Chattanooga today.

## RETAIL GROCERS

The Directors Elected at Last Night's Meeting.

The Officers Will Be Elected and Warehouse Decided on Later.

The Retail Grocers' association held an important meeting last night, but all matters were not settled and the officers of the association remain yet to be elected.

Mr. E. W. Bockmon acted as chair, man and the first business taken up was the election of a board of directors, as follows: Messrs. Ed Farley, Otis Overstreet, Henry A. Petter, T. J. Reid and E. W. Bockmon. The following committee on by-laws and constitution was appointed: Messrs. Henry Petter, H. Kamleiter, Charles Speck and Will Schroeder. The committee will get down to work and prepare the constitution and by-laws by the next regular meeting night. No headquarters have been selected, but this matter will be acted on at a meeting to be called next week. A purchasing agent will also be elected at this meeting and the details all worked out.

### BETTER NOW.

MR. HOVIOUS HERRING WILL NO DOUBT RECOVER.

The many friends of Mr. Hovious Herring will be pleased to learn that he is much better and will be out in a few weeks, the physicians think.

For the past week he had been unable to take any nourishing food or get any natural rest, but is now eating abundance of food and has had some rest and his doctors think now that he will be able to leave his bed within ten days. He had a leg cut off in a railroad accident several days ago in Memphis and is at an infirmary in that city.

### GOOD NEWS.

The engagement of the charming comedienne, Dainty May Sargent, is settled at last and this distinguished artist will appear here shortly in the famous comedy, "Other People's Money," during which she will display some gorgeous gowns from the world-known establishment of Madam Giannio of New York City. This is certainly good news and Manager English is to be congratulated on securing this attraction for one night during its tour from coast to coast, as the company is one of rare excellence, comprising some well known artists.

Mr. J. B. Lord, of the Ayer-Lord Tie company, was in the city today.



## THREE NEW CASES

Are Developments From Old Exposures.

Health Authorities Think They Have the Situation Under Control.

Three new cases of smallpox have developed in the Tyler neighborhood, but the health officers think they still have the situation under control.

"There have been many exposures within the past three weeks," one health officer said this morning, "and these cases that are now developing are the results of the exposures. We think that there will be comparatively few developments in the way of new cases, but will not be surprised at any new cases reported. All the factory operators have been cautioned relative to the vaccination laws and will employ no one who cannot show a vaccination scar."

There are now about twenty-five cases of smallpox in the Tyler neighborhood, but the disease is confined to but few families. There are about ten families in all where the quarantine flag is out and all cases are doing well.

### CIRCUIT COURT

ANOTHER VERDICT IN RAILROAD CONDEMNATION SUIT

The case of the Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans Railroad company against Exam. Futrell was finished this morning in circuit court when the jury brought in a verdict for \$1,100, the value of the land, damages, etc.

This was first brought in County Judge R. T. Lightfoot's court and resulted in a verdict for \$1,500 for Futrell. The case was appealed to the circuit court with the above result. Futrell was involved in two cases but the first was dismissed and the second had been on trial since the beginning of the week. Futrell owns land on the Cairo division of the Illinois Central and the suit was brought to condemn the property and settle as to the price.

William Holloway, Gdn., has filed suit in circuit court against Edward Holloway to secure the sale of property for the support to his ward.

Pattie Winters was granted a divorce from her husband James Winters.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Robert Boyd against the board of trustees of the colored Christian church was overruled and an appeal granted.

The cases of F. G. Rudolph, Admr., of the Carper estate against A. C. Johnson, and the case of W. S. Oliver against Susan Carper were ordered transferred to the Marshall circuit court and consolidated with the Hendrickson vs. Rudolph case.

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